

**38781 to 38844—Continued.** (Quoted notes by Mr. F. N. Meyer.)**38812.** *HYDRANGEA BRETSCHNEIDERI* Dippel. *Hydrangeaceae*.**Hydrangea.**

"(No. 2085a. Tahuashan, Shensi, China. December 29, 1913.) A vigorously growing *Hydrangea*, mostly found between boulders or rocks on somewhat moist soils. Of value possibly as an ornamental park shrub for northern regions."

**38813.** *VIBURNUM* sp. *Caprifoliaceae*.

"(No. 2086a. Tahuashan, Shensi, China. December 29, 1913.) A *Viburnum*, found as undergrowth between tall, open trees. In habit resembling *Viburnum opulus* but of looser growth and thinner branches. Of value possibly as an ornamental park shrub for northern regions."

**38814.** *LONICERA PERICLYMENUM* L. *Caprifoliaceae*.**Honeysuckle.**

"(No. 2087a. Tahuashan, Shensi, China. December 29, 1913.) A twining honeysuckle found between scrub in shady places. The flowers are borne in terminal bunches and are surrounded by a typical large circular involucre. Of value as a porch or pillar vine in gardens and parks."

**38815 and 38816.** *LONICERA* spp. *Caprifoliaceae*.**Honeysuckle.**

From the mountains near Nantotchu, Shensi, China. Collected January 21, 1914.

**38815.** "(No. 2088a.) An evergreen, trailing honeysuckle bearing black berries, found on well-sheltered, rocky banks. Of value for covering waste places."

**38816.** "(No. 2089a.) A bush honeysuckle. See S. P. I. No. 37545 for previous introduction."

**38817.** *EXOCHORDA RACEMOSA* (Lindl.) Rehder. *Rosaceae*.(*Exochorda grandiflora* Lindl.)

"(No. 2090a. Tahuashan, Shensi, China. December 29, 1913.) A medium tall, sturdy shrub, found here and there in great masses in rocky crevices at altitudes between 3,000 and 5,000 feet. Of value as an ornamental garden shrub, especially for rockeries, and for semi-arid regions."

**38818.** *CLEMATIS* sp. *Ranunculaceae*.**Clematis.**

"(No. 2091a. Tahuashan, Shensi, China. December 29, 1913.) A climbing clematis found in between shrubbery and running over same. Bears apparently large flowers; possesses somewhat glossy foliage. Collected at an altitude of 4,500 feet."

**38819.** *ELSHOLTZIA STAUNTONI* Benth. *Menthaceae*.

"(No. 2092a. Tahuashan, Shensi, China. December 28, 1913.) A woody labiate, growing from 1½ to 2 feet in height, found amidst stony debris at altitudes between 2,000 and 3,000 feet. Of value possibly as a rockery shrub and along open borders."

**38820.** *ALBIZZIA* sp. *Mimosaceae*.

"(No. 2093a. Near Taianfu, Shantung, China. March 22, 1914.) A silk-flower tree having whitish blossoms and large doubly pinnate leaves. Found on rocky, sterile, mountain slopes. Of value as a soil binder in dry regions. For further information see S. P. I. No. 38285."